

September 11, 2017

Mr. Anthony Krone Risk Manager Shelby County Schools 160 South Hollywood – Room 152 Memphis, Tennessee 38112

RE: Lead in Drinking Water Sampling Bellevue Middle School 575 S Bellevue Memphis, Tennessee Tioga Project No.: 24816.00

Dear Mr. Krone,

At the request of Shelby County Schools (the Client), Tioga Environmental Consultants (Tioga) performed sampling of drinking water sources at the above referenced school for laboratory analysis of total lead concentrations. At the request of the Client, sampling was conducted on potable water sources in the kitchen and water fountains throughout the first and second floors of the school. Sampling was conducted early in the morning, before any potable water sources had been used for the day and prior to the arrival of any students or faculty.

On August 30, 2017, Tioga representative William Gray arrived onsite and was escorted through the building by Shelby County Schools risk management personnel. First-draw potable water samples were collected in accordance with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations codified in 40 CFR 141.86, and were documented and transferred under chain-of-custody protocol to Waypoint Analytical Laboratories in Memphis, Tennessee for analysis of total lead content.

#### **Results Based on Laboratory Analysis:**

Table 1 on the following page summarizes the sampling locations, laboratory analytical results, and EPA action level for lead in drinking water. Sample results with a "<" symbol did not contain lead content above the laboratory detection limit.

# Table 1 Summary of Analytical Results Bellevue Middle School August 30, 2017

Sample ID	Sample Location	Total Lead (µg/L)	EPA Action Level (µg/L)
1-1	Water Fountain in Gym	0.575	
1-2	Water Fountain Near Home Economics	2.39	
1-3	Cafeteria Sink	<0.513	
1-4	Water Fountain Near Room 101	0.675	15
1-5	Water Fountain Near Student Services	0.578	
1-6	Water Fountain Near Room 206	<0.513	
1-7	Water Fountain Near Room 202	1.80	

 $<sup>(\</sup>mu g/L)$  = Micrograms of lead per liter of water (parts per billion)

A review of the laboratory analytical results of the water samples collected revealed that no water samples collected during this sampling event exhibited total lead levels above the EPA action level for drinking water.

### **Recommendations:**

Based upon the laboratory analytical results of the seven potable water samples collected from Bellevue Middle School, Tioga has found no evidence of elevated lead concentrations above the EPA action level for drinking water, and therefore makes no recommendation for further testing at this site.

#### Limitations

Potable water sources with elevated lead levels may potentially be present in areas of the property that are not addressed with this report. This investigation only included the potable water sources specifically addressed.

We appreciate the opportunity to provide you with this service. Should you have any questions regarding this report, please contact me at (901) 791-2432.

Sincerely,

TIOGA ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS, INC.

Eric Davis, CIE

**Environmental Scientist** 

**Enclosure:** (1) Laboratory Analytical Report



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9/7/2017

Tioga Environmental Consultants Mr. Luke Hall 357 North Main Street Memphis, TN, 38103

Ref: **Analytical Testing** 

> Lab Report Number: 17-243-0273 Client Project Description: Site 1

Project # 24816.00

Dear Mr. Luke Hall:

Waypoint Analytical, Inc. received sample(s) on 8/31/2017 for the analyses presented in the following report.

The above referenced project has been analyzed per your instructions. The analyses were performed in accordance with the applicable analytical method.

The analytical data has been validated using standard quality control measures performed as required by the analytical method. Quality Assurance, method validations, instrumentation maintenance and calibration for all parameters (NELAP and non-NELAP) were performed in accordance with guidelines established by the USEPA (including 40 CFR 136 Method Update Rule May 2012) and NELAC unless otherwise indicated. Any parameter for which the laboratory is not officially NELAP accredited is indicated by a '~' symbol. These are not included in the scope because NELAP accreditation is either not available or has not been applied for. Additional certifications may be held/are available for parameters, where NELAP accreditation is not required or applicable. A full list of certifications is available upon request.

Certain parameters (chlorine, pH, dissolved oxygen, sulfite...) are required to be analyzed within 15 minutes of sampling. Usually, but not always, any field parameter analyzed at the laboratory is outside of this holding time. Refer to sample analysis time for confirmation of holding time compliance.

The results are shown on the attached Report of Analysis(s). Results for solid matrices are reported on an asreceived basis unless otherwise indicated. This report shall not be reproduced except in full and relates only to the samples included in this report.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or client services if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Randy Thomas **Project Manager** 

Rendell H. Thomas

Laboratory's liability in any claim relating to analyses performed shall be limited to, at laboratory's option, repeating the analysis in question at laboratory's expense, or the refund of the charges paid for performance of said analysis.



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Mr. Luke Hall

357 North Main Street Memphis , TN 38103 Project Site 1

Information: Project # 24816.00

Report Date: 9/7/2017

Report Number: 17-243-0273 REPORT OF ANALYSIS Received: 8/31/2017

Lab No: 89000 Matrix: Aqueous

Sample ID: 1-1 Sampled: 8/30/2017 6:15

Test Results Units MQL DF Date / Time By Analytical **Analyzed** Method Total Lead 0.575 μg/L 0.513 1 09/06/17 12:53 BKN EPA-200.8

Lab No: 89001 Matrix: Aqueous

Sample ID : **1-2** Sampled: **8/30/2017 6:18** 

DF Date / Time MQL Test Results Units Ву Analytical Analyzed Method Total Lead EPA-200.8 2.39 μg/L 0.513 1 09/06/17 12:58 BKN

Lab No : 89002 Matrix: Aqueous

Sample ID: 1-3 Sampled: 8/30/2017 6:20

Test	Results	Units	MQL	DF	Date / Time Analyzed	Ву	Analytical Method
Total Lead	<0.513	μg/L	0.513	1	09/06/17 12:59	BKN	EPA-200.8

Lab No: 89003 Matrix: Aqueous

Sampled: **8/30/2017 6:23** 

Test	Results	Units	MQL	DF	Date / Time Analyzed	Ву	Analytical Method	
Total Lead	0.675	μg/L	0.513	1	09/06/17 13:01	BKN	EPA-200.8	

Qualifiers/ Definitions DF

Dilution Factor

MQL

Method Quantitation Limit



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Information: Project # 24816.00

Report Date : 9/7/2017

Lab No : 89004 Matrix: Aqueous

Sample ID: 1-5 Sampled: 8/30/2017 6:25

Test Results Units MQL DF Date / Time By **Analytical Analyzed** Method Total Lead 0.578 μg/L 0.513 1 09/06/17 13:02 BKN EPA-200.8

Lab No: 89005 Matrix: Aqueous

Sample ID: 1-6 Sampled: 8/30/2017 6:27

DF Units MQL Date / Time Test Results Ву Analytical Analyzed Method Total Lead EPA-200.8 < 0.513 μg/L 0.513 1 09/06/17 13:03 BKN

Lab No: 89006 Matrix: Aqueous

Sample ID: 1-7 Sampled: 8/30/2017 6:28

Test	Results	Units	MQL	DF	Date / Time Analyzed	Ву	Analytical Method	
Total Lead	1.80	ua/L	0.513	1	09/06/17 13:05	BKN	EPA-200.8	

Qualifiers/ Definitions DF

Dilution Factor

MQL

Method Quantitation Limit



Signature: Tory Phillips

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## **Cooler Receipt Form**

Customer Number: 06510

Customer Name: Tioga Environmental Consultants

Report Number: 17-243-0273

## **Shipping Method**

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○ Fed Ex	US Postal	◯ Lab		Other:	
UPS	Client	Ourie	r	Thermometer ID:	N/A
Shipping contain	ner/cooler uncomprom	ised?	Yes	○ No	
Number of coole	ers received		1		
Custody seals in	tact on shipping conta	ainer/cooler?	O Yes	○ No	Not Required
Custody seals in	tact on sample bottles	s?	O Yes	○ No	Not Require
Chain of Custod	y (COC) present?		Yes	○ No	
COC agrees with	h sample label(s)?		Yes	○ No	
COC properly co	ompleted		Yes	○ No	
Samples in prop	er containers?		Yes	○ No	
Sample containe	ers intact?		Yes	○ No	
Sufficient sample	e volume for indicated	I test(s)?	Yes	○ No	
All samples rece	eived within holding tin	ne?	Yes	○ No	
Cooler temperat	ure in compliance?		Yes	○ No	
	arrived at the laborate onsidered acceptable gun.		○ Yes	● No	
Water - Sample	containers properly p	reserved	Yes	○ No	○ N/A
Water - VOA via	ls free of headspace		O Yes	○ No	● N/A
Trip Blanks rece	ived with VOAs		O Yes	○ No	● N/A
Soil VOA method	d 5035 – compliance o	criteria met	Yes	○ No	● N/A
High concent	tration container (48 h	r)	Lov	v concentration EnC	Core samplers (48 hr)
High concent	ration pre-weighed (m	nethanol -14 d)	Lov	v conc pre-weighed	vials (Sod Bis -14 d)
Special precaution	ons or instructions inc	luded?	O Yes	● No	
Comments:					

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Date & Time: 08/31/2017 14:44:05





Kit ID: 0000085412
Initiated By: Andy Parrish
Initiated Date: 8/28/2017
Project Comment

**CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY** 

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Date	Time	Sample ID	Matrix	Grab/ # of Comp Cont		Container Type P		ervation	Analyses
3-30	0615	1-1	Aqueous	G	1	Plastic - Pint	1	NONE	Total Lead/DW
3-30	0618	1-2	Aqueous	6	1	Plastic - Pint	1	NONE	Total Lead/DW
3-30	6620	1-3	Aqueous	6	1	Plastic - Pint	1	NONE	Total Lead/DW
3-30	0623	1-4	Aqueous	G	1	Plastic - Pint	1	NONE	Total Lead/DW
8-30	0625	1-5	Aqueous	6	1	Plastic - Pint	1	NONE	Total Lead/DW
3-30	0627	1-6	Aqueous	6	1	Plastic - Pint	1	NONE	Total Lead/DW
8-30	0628	1-7	Aqueous	6	1	Plastic - Pint	1	NONE	Total Lead/DW

For Laboratory Use Only			Sampled by (Name - Print)	s/Comments				
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